

## **4–6 Module**

### **Unit 3 Composting**

#### **Lesson 1**

### **The Nutrient Cycle and Other Cycles**

#### **Lesson 2**

### **Scavengers and Decomposers**

#### **Lesson 3**

### **What Decomposes?**

#### **Lesson 4**

### **What Is Composting and Why Is It Important?**

#### **Lesson 5**

### **Promo and Play on Composting**

*The unit on composting tied in perfectly with our school garden. There is nothing more motivating for students than hands-on science lessons, particularly those that have a certain level of “grossness.” We loved checking on our moldy projects after a two week winter break. All of the lessons are well written, detailed, and easy to follow and adapt.*

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